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Customer No.: 31561

Application No.: 10/065,343

Docket No. 9527-US-PA

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In re application of

Applicant

: Chen

JCIPO Taiwan

Application No.

: 10/065,343

Filed

: Oct. 7, 2002

For

: POWER ADAPTER WITH FREELY ROTATABLE DIRECT

CURRENT PLUG CONNECTION

Art Unit

: 2833

Examiner

: GILMAN, ALEXANDER

## TRANSMITTAL LETTER 002-1-703-872-9306

(Via fax: 3 pages, followed by confirmation copy via courier)

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Dear Sirs,

In response to the Office Action dated Feb. 23, 2004, please find the relevant paper in response to paper No. 02132004. Following the fax transmission, a hard copy via courier will also be forwarded to the Office.

Enclosed please find:

Request for Continued Examination in (2) pages

Fax confirmation report

Prepaid return postcard

Thank you for your assistance in the subject matter. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Respectfully Submitted,
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#### **PATENT**

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For Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal	Filing Date		
	First Named Inventor	: Chen-Chun Chen	
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. 1.114 of the above-identified application.

### 1. Submission required under 37 CFR § 1.114.

- a. [x] Previously submitted
  - (x) Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on Feb. 5, 2004.
  - () Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on
- b. [] Enclosed
  - () Preliminary Amendment in () page(s).
  - () Other Documents in () page(s).

#### 2. Miscellaneous

- a. [ ] Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of month(s).
- b. [ ] Associate Power of Attorney.

### 3. Fees are calculated as follows:

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Total Claims	22	MINUS	22	= 0	× 18	=\$ O
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[1] month(s) extension of time is hereby requested.			Time Extension Fee	=\$ 110		
					Total:	\$ 880

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a. [x] Please charge the fee in the amount of \$880 as calculated above to account No. 50-2620 (Order No.: 9527-US-PA).

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